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Docket No.: INCOM-001XX

Sir:

In re application of: Michael J. Minot et al.

Entitled: FIBER OPTIC INTERROGATED MICROFLUIDIC DEVICE

Transmitted herewith is an **amendment** in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$\_\_\_\_\_) for the cost of same per §1.17(c).
- ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ per §1.116.
- ☒ **Small Entity Status is asserted.**
- ☒ **A Petition for Extension of Time for 2 months is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$245.00) for the cost of such extension per §1.17.**
- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- ☐ Other:

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	3 - 4	=	x \$220.00 =	0
Total	42 - 46	=	x \$ 2.00 =	0
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)			+ \$390.00 =	0
<b>SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE</b>				0
Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted.				0
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE</b>				0

- ☒ **No additional fee.** ☐ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$\_\_\_\_\_) for the cost of same.
- ☒ **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.**

Dated: January 26, 2010

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